

# THE LACLEDE BLADE.

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## TOWN AND COUNTRY

### About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

For Moline tractors, see Z. R. Kling, local dealer.

A few good White Leghorn cockerels for sale now. V. E. Facto.

Regular monthly meeting of the city council next Monday evening.

A ten pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Womhoff, Monday.

A light frost Tuesday night reminds us that winter is just over the hill.

Fifty cents per hundred for scrap iron. Rush in all you have. F. M. Alexander.

A 10% reduction in price of all auto tires in stock is now in effect. F. R. Power.

The October term of the Linn county circuit court opens at Brookfield next Monday.

Five shoats, weight about 95 pounds each, for sale by W. J. Swetnam, phone 222E, Linneus.

Work is progressing rapidly on the Groes garage building, the walls now going up. It is 102x-88 feet.

Cash in your old magazines at \$1.00 per hundred and old papers at 50 cents per hundred. F. M. Alexander.

United States tires, 30x3 1/2, Ford rear, list price \$22.50, while the present stock lasts, \$21.00. F. R. Power.

We can make you a first class farm loan at 7%, net to borrower. Moore Land Company, Brookfield, Missouri. 4t

For Sale—124 head of yearling ewes, Collie pups, and registered and purebred Duroc Jersey male hogs. Vahl Clawson.

Another week and the carpenters will have finished their work on the new station. The tile floor in the waiting room is now being laid.

W. R. Peacher left Friday for the Chicago market with a car of fat steers of his own feeding. Mr. Peacher is a good feeder and had a nice smooth bunch of cattle.

The sixth episode of the "Mystery of 13" and Kathlyn Williams in "The Man, Girl and Lion," and a comedy will be seen at the local theatre Saturday night.

W. R. Barton spent the first of the week with his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Hatcher and family in Columbia, returning Tuesday accompanied Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Emma David.

W. G. Thorne has been here from Sumner this week in charge of his furniture and undertaking establishment, H. H. Chapman, who had been manager the past year having resigned and left Tuesday with his family for Larned, Kansas.

H. C. and Wm. Lomax received a telegram Wednesday announcing the death of their brother-in-law, Horace Alexander, at Denison, Texas. He was 82 years of age and is survived by the wife and three children. Mr. Alexander formerly lived at Brookfield and was an engineer on the Hannibal when the road was first built.

## Truck Caravan Coming

An army motor truck caravan that is making a five weeks' tour of the state in the interest of the \$60,000,000 road bond issue to be voted on in November, will be in Laclede next Thursday afternoon, October 7.

The caravan will come into Laclede from the north and make a short stop here during which a concert will be given by the twenty-one piece military band from Camp Funston, and a good roads talk will be made. The tourists will spend Thursday night in Brookfield.

The war department realizing the importance of good roads even as a line of defense for a country, is furnishing seven trucks and a detail of fifty men and four officers to co-operate with the Missouri Good Roads Federation in conducting a tour of the state. Besides the band and speakers there will be a baseball team ready for a game with any town. This detail of men will be able to take care of themselves if the Missouri mud gets too deep for their trucks.

The Missouri Good Roads Federation composed of road boosters from all over Missouri, is anxious that all attended these meetings and get posted on Good Roads Amendment number 6.

## W. C. T. U. Convention

The ninth annual convention of the Linn County W. C. T. U. was held at Linneus Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Delegates were present from Brookfield, Laclede, Purdin, Meadville and Haseville. The following county officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Lucil Gooch, Haseville, president; Miss Nettie Hamilton, Meadville, vice president; Mrs. C. K. Hart, Brookfield, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Gertrude Childress, Linneus, recording secretary; Mrs. Bessie Smith, St. Catherine, treasurer.

Those attending from Laclede were Mrs. Harry Landree, Mrs. Lee Wilson, Mrs. Wm. Lomax, Mrs. T. D. Mouser and Mrs. R. T. Patterson. All report a delightful meeting.

## Game Lost to Laclede

The Marceline football team that came over Friday was a little too husky and well trained for the local high school boys, the score being 7 to 21 in favor of the visitors. A large delegation of vigorous rooters accompanied the Marceline team.

## Fall Festival

Under the management of the Community Club a fall festival will be held at Brookfield Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week, October 6, 7, 8. It is in the nature of a county fair, corn show and livestock exhibit combined, liberal premiums being offered in every department. No admission fee and no entrance fee, everything free.

Wanted—Young men or women of sales ability, persistence, willing to work hard, good education, good references. To such we offer a proposition that will make big money, experience in our line not necessary; we give you such cooperation that you are sure to succeed. Address P. O. box 1082, St. Joseph, Mo.

## ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

### Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

C. B. Welsh and sister, Miss Marietta, delightfully entertained a number of relatives and friends at their home Friday evening. All had a real good visit and enjoyed the delicious refreshments.

Farmers are requested to heed the notice of the township assessor and have their farm products list made out and ready to hand in when the assessor calls. The law requires them to do this that the statistics gathered may be as nearly correct as possible.

Max Jones, special agent for the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, has bought the local insurance business he formerly had from C. E. Tracy, and is now prepared to write your fire, tornado and windstorm insurance in some of the oldest and most reliable companies doing business in the state.

It is now just about as dangerous for stock to get onto the public road as onto the railroad. A valuable cow belonging to W. J. Daniels that had got out of the pasture into the road just west of the covered bridge Saturday was hit by an automobile and injured so badly that she died soon after the accident.

In the St. Louis district Methodist Episcopal conference held at Sedalia this week, Rev. Price A. Crow, a former pastor of the Laclede church, was assigned to Arlington church in Kansas City. Since the death of his wife at Des Moines last spring Rev. Crow has been making his home with a sister in Kansas City.

The state superintendent of schools having approved his credits thus qualifying him to teach in a first class high school, Rev. Ralph Craig, has been elected permanent teacher of English and Latin in the Laclede high school for the term. The teachers and pupils are now settled down to hard work and everything is progressing nicely.

The W. C. T. U. met at the pleasant home of Mrs. T. D. Mouser in regular session Tuesday afternoon. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Effie Landree, president; Mrs. Cora Rowland, vice president; Mrs. Laura Patterson, recording secretary; Mrs. Lee Wilson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Nettie Mouser, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goble and son and daughter, and H. G. Edwards of Posser, Nebr., spent last Friday and Saturday with relatives here and at Forker. While in Laclede they were guests at the home of Mrs. Goble's brother, A. S. Byrd and family. The many old time friends of these former Laclede people were glad to see them. They were out on a month's auto tour and went from here to Hannibal and to return home through Iowa.

## Long Suffering Ended

Mrs. Alma Cotton passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lillie Coleman, early last Sunday morning, at the age of 67. She had been ill for a long time, although up and about most of the time.

Sarah Kathryn Shipley was born in Sullivan county, December 11, 1853; was married to W. R. Winegar, September 27, 1868. To this union were born three children, John W., Ulia A., and Lillian, all of whom survive. Mr. Winegar died January 2, 1887, and she was united in marriage with Alma Cotton March 13, 1889. She had been a resident of Laclede 30 years.

She united with the Baptist church in 1886, to which faith she remained faithful to the end.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon, the services being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ralph Craig, and the remains laid to rest in the Laclede cemetery by Director Thorne.

The husband and children wish to thank friends and neighbors for their kind help during her long illness and at the funeral.

## Funeral of Mrs. Gartner

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Eunice Fields Gartner, whose death was announced in The Blade last week, were held at the home in Laclede Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Ralph Craig.

Mrs. Gartner was 81 years of age and is survived by her husband who is 88 years of age, and four daughters and three sons.

Two daughters, Mrs. John Adams of Clarence and Mrs. Madison Kinney of Plattsburg, and two sons, J. W. Gartner of Jackson, Mo., and F. D. Gartner of Linneus, and one grandson, R. P. Gartner of St. Joseph, were present at the funeral. The remains were taken to Linneus for burial.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors of our loved one for the kind favors rendered during her sickness and death. John Gartner and family.

## Farm Wanted

Wanted to hear from owner of farm or good land for sale. Must be priced right. Write L. Jones, box 551, Olney, Ill.

## Hillcrest Apples

The highest grade apples from the celebrated Hillcrest Orchards, six miles north of Chillicothe and three miles west of Sturges, will be ready for market October first. Finest quality Gano, Ben Davis, Willow Twigs and other varieties. Drive to orchards for your fall and winter apples and make big savings.

C. N. Mathews,

Proprietor.

## The Baptist Church

Ralph A. Craig, Pastor.

Preaching Sunday, both in morning and evening. Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. at the usual hours. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. B. Y. P. U. by the junior group.

The Linn county Woman's Missionary Union meets in Meadville next Tuesday instead of last, as was announced.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

### Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Good quality new sorgham for sale by J. M. Simpson, Laclede.

C. E. Tracy was on a business trip to Kansas the first of the week.

Harold Butterfield is here from Keokuk spending a few days with his family.

Mrs. Alta Ausmus returned Friday from visiting her sister and family at Boynton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cushing transacted business and visited relatives at Laredo, Monday.

James Chapman came up from Westminster, Fulton, for a weekend visit with home folk.

Mrs. Mary Mize is home from a year's stay in California and Idaho and will spend the winter here.

Ed. Finney spent a part of last week in St. Louis, Squire Cushing serving route three in his absence.

Bert Van Dyke has been over from Marceline this week visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed.

L. Brendahl and granddaughter, Miss Christina Johnson, returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Michigan.

Harry Landree was on the stock market in Kansas City Wednesday and bought a car of lambs to fatten on his farm east of town.

Mrs. Ida Thurman is here from Louisiana visiting her brother, Ward Stutsman and family and her sister, Mrs. Homer Wilson and family.

Mrs. W. J. Daniels returned home Saturday from a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Paul C. Andrews and Miss Gladys Daniels at Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Eichman and the latter's brothers, Ed. and Delph Foster of Sumner, left Saturday in the Eichman car for a visit with relatives in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wroe were called from their home in Brookfield Friday to Independence, Mo., to be with the latter's brother, T. W. Milner, who was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Markham, Miss Laura Love, Mrs. J. W. Haight and Mrs. Harry Barber of Brookfield, were among those from out of town attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Fannie Maybee held at the Methodist church Friday afternoon.

Rev. E. M. Hoff and wife arrived from Skidmore Monday and are moving into the M. E. parsonage. The new pastor is making a fine impression, being a cordial and affable gentleman, bespeaking a social and spiritual success for the church and its people under his leadership.

L. N. Whitaker and family left Tuesday to make their home at Hennepin, Ill., from which place they came to Laclede eighteen years ago. Laclede regrets very much to lose this estimable family but they will always have the best wishes of the many friends they have here.